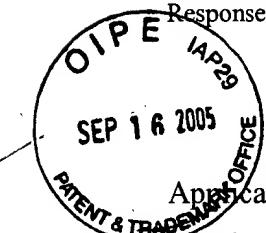


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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action of May 5, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper in the form of a substitute specification.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 25 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 30 of this paper.

EXHIBIT 1 - MARK-UP OF SPECIFICATION TO SHOW CHANGES THERETO

EXHIBIT 2 - DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE INTO THE SPECIFICATION.

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